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Application No.: 09/662,756) : Group Art Unit: 2621
Filed: September 15, 2000) :
For: IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD)
AND APPARATUS : December 11, 2000

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**ATTENTION: APPLICATION PROCESSING DIVISION, SPECIAL
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In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED mailed October 27, 2000
enclosed please find an executed Declaration/Power of Attorney
form, together with the surcharge fee of \$130.00. Also
enclosed is a copy of the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any

additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account
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Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in
our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All
correspondence should continue to be directed to our address
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Respectfully submitted,



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SUPPLEMENTAL
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Sir:

Applicant's attorneys have received an official
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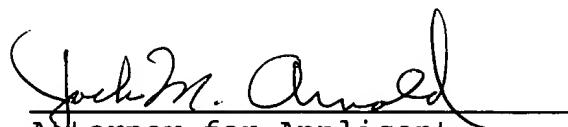
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Issuance of a corrected Filing Receipt, as shown
above, is accordingly respectfully requested.

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Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the PTO processes the reply to the Notice, the PTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

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